

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: BERGMANN Docket No.: 2582.011  
Serial No.: 10/572,522 Group Art Unit: 1656  
Submitted: March 21, 2006 Examiner: KAM, C. Min  
Title: METHOD FOR THE DIAGNOSIS OF Conf. No.: 4727  
DISEASES BY DETERMINING  
APOLIPOPROTEIN C-1

To: Commissioner for Patents<sup>1</sup>  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)**

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated July 16, 2010 be extended for a period of three months from October 16, 2010 to and including January 16, 2011. Since January 16, 2011 was a Sunday and the following day was a Federal Holiday, this petition is timely filed on January 18, 2011. The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$1110. Please charge the required fee to Deposit Account No. 08-1935.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: January 18, 2011

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